

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Werner Agne
Serial No.: 09/925,004
Date Filed: August 8, 2001
Examiner: Yixing Qin
Group Art Unit: 2625
Title: **DATA TRANSMISSION SYSTEM HAVING
DISTRIBUTED CONTROL
FUNCTIONALITY**

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Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION AND AMENDMENT

In response to the Final Office Action mailed July 27, 2006, Applicant respectfully submits the following amendments set forth below and request favorable action thereon.

Amendments to Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.